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**Garden Club Has Installation**

The Map Room overlooking beautiful gardens of La Ventana Inn was the fitting and inspiring spot for the Riviera Garden Club's installation dinner meeting Monday night. Mrs. R. O. Young, district director, installed club officers for the coming year: Mrs. Merrill Peavy, president; Mrs. Robert Bogardus, vice president; Mrs. George Shipway, secretary, and Mrs. Lawrence Murdock, treasurer.

During the ceremony Mrs. Young presented each retiring officer and incoming officer with an herb symbolic of her respective office. To the club as a whole, Mrs. Young gave a marjoram plant to be passed from member to member during the coming year, each member shar-

ing in the growth of this plant as she shares in the growth of her club.

Mrs. Robert Bogardus, on behalf of all members, presented a token expression of sincere thanks to Mrs. Bryce Fonville, retiring president.

**Establish Award**  
 Mrs. Peavy's first function as new president was to announce that in permanent recognition and appreciation of Mrs. Fonville's having both founded and served as first president of the Riviera Garden Club, the "Anne Fonville Award" has been established. This award, an annual and perpetual trophy, symbolized by a silver bud vase, is to be presented each year at the installation meeting to the club member who during the year has contributed most significantly to the activities of the organization.

Mrs. Robert Atha, chairman of the dinner, was assisted by Mrs. Richard O'Hare and Mrs. Lawrence Murdock. Corsages, made by members of the club, served as place cards at the candle-light table.

Affiliated with California Garden Clubs Inc., the Riviera Garden Club was interested in hearing Mrs. Young's report from the 27th annual state convention held in Coronado June 4-7 and attended by Mrs. Young, director of the L. A. Bay Harbor District.

**Father's Day Breakfast**  
 The Harbor Medical Assistants Association held a Father's Day open air breakfast at 28219 Ozone ave., Harbor City, on Sunday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.



MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM E. KING, wed 25 years  
 Son Billy helps celebrate

**Kings Celebrate 25th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. William E. King, 1751 Greenwood, entertained 21 friends at an informal dinner party at The Palms Friday night. The occasion was in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary June 10.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. W. R. Zappas, Paul Loranger, "Stan" Stanford, Bob Ulrich, Dan Agnew, Steve Zawicki, Darwin Parrish, Bill Lynch, Jim Hughes and the couple's son Billy.

Margery Powers and Bill King were married in Chicago in 1933 and came to Torrance in 1945.

Mrs. King is office manager for Paul's Chevrolet and King is general manager of The Torrance Press.

**Harbor Area YW Officers Installed**

"Your enthusiasm, optimism, and passion for work along with a most pleasant personality indicate that this will be a successful year," Mrs. E. C. Sires said in installing Mrs. Loraine Harper, as president of the Harbor Area YWCA board of directors, at the recent meeting held at the Torrance Branch, 2320 Carson.

Installed with Mrs. Harper were: Mrs. Don Wolf, first vice-president; Frances Clark, second vice-president; Mrs. V. F. Christensen, third vice-president; Mrs. Carl Taylor, secretary; and Mrs. Lee Stamps, treasurer.

Those receiving citations for service upon retiring were: Mmes. Schuyler Hoffman, Larry Lightner, Louis Ladra, Jean Hagler and Misses Edna Whitlow, and Pauline Greer.

On behalf of the board and staff, Catherine J. Lockett presented Mrs. Spires a life membership in the YWCA.

Summary reports for the years work in each of the three branches were reported on by Mrs. Carl Taylor, San Pedro, Mrs. Joel Canby, Torrance, and Mrs. Arnold Ecklund, Wilmington. Mrs. Bertice Snow, teen-age program director, made the area camp report, stating that there are still places available although camp is filling rapidly. Some camperships are available to needy girls.

The "Training for Chairman" was reviewed by Mrs. Otis Blackstone of the area staff, who announced the date for the fall workshop for all volunteers as October 29. "Specifics will be featured at this time with meetings of departmental groups included in the training," she stated.

Mrs. Robert Sharp, chairman of the program planning committee, reported the program objectives of the YWCA to be: 1. to develop character, 2. growth, 3. inclusiveness, 4. leadership, and 5. peace. Program plans for the Association were provided for each member. The proposed all Southern California World Fellowship vesper on November 9 was reported on by Mrs. V. F. Christensen.

Following the meeting a pot luck lunch was held with Mrs. Wolf in charge.

**Board Members Host Retiring PTA President**  
 Seven of the Dolores Street PTA board members hosted their retiring president, Mrs. Allan Bottrell, at a luncheon June 10.

Attending were Mmes. William Darling, John Gally, William Messer, James Bruce, James Menezes, new leader of the PTA, and Mrs. Jane MeWald.

The new officers and chairman met with the president at her home June 11 to discuss next year's program and the A-6 graduation party to be held in Scott Park June 20. A pot luck luncheon will be held for the faculty the same day.

**TAKE SCOUT COURSE**  
 Bill Buell of Torrance and Charles Bean of Lomita will be among 26 outstanding Boy Scouts chosen for leadership training at Philmont Scout Reservation in New Mexico this summer.

**Name Winners in Park Doll Show**

Nancy Parker, entering 100 dolls of the 500 shown at Lomita Park Saturday at the annual doll show, won first place for largest collection.

Susan Northern had the smallest doll at the show; Joe Northern, the most played with. Judy Russell's dancing doll was judged the prettiest, Barbara Yoklwick showed the best storybook doll and Phyllis Collin's bride doll also won a first.

Jane Rousseau had the largest doll, Gayle Crockley, the best foreign doll. Best hand made doll was entered by Christine Ride-nour. Roberta Ellsworth's baby doll won first in that class.

Judges were Mrs. J. B. Kuska and Mrs. T. Kovich.

Door prizes were won by Kay Woolsey, Patsy Nielsen, Linda Collins and Betty McNamara.

**Open House**  
 First place dolls will be on display at Lomita Park's Open House Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m.

The open house is part of a "Know Your County Park" campaign and is sponsored by the Recreation Department.

Schedule of events include a pee wee ball game at 10 a.m., family picnics from noon till 2 p.m., a square dance at 1 and crafts and hobby displays from 1 to 4 p.m.

A teenage dance will be held beginning at 8 p.m.

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**PTA Participates in Final Meeting**

Stephen M. White PTA participated in Gateway Council's final meeting of the school year. The theme for their table decoration "Hi Diddle Diddle" was by Mrs. Fred Schimmel.

Albert Cartwright, principal, and Mrs. Herman Isenbiss, a member of 10th District of the hospitality committee, were Stephen White's guests.

PTA members in attendance were Mmes. W. L. Wilson, C. W. Wittenburg, Loring Thomas, Robert Crowl, Kenneth Fortney, E. N. Reese, O. L. Davison, A. C. Ackerson, Mrs. Evans.

**Honor Brother**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vodra entertained 200 guests Sunday at a garden party reception for his brother, Victor H. Vodra of Wooster, Ohio, technical director of Rubbermade Corp.

Vodra, his wife and three

**Gives Swimming Party to Celebrate Birthday**

Miss Karen Sue Caley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Caley, 22207 Linda dr., entertained 12 little friends at a birthday swimming party June 13 to celebrate her third birthday.

Attending were Susan Polcari, Sharon Acosta, Mary Pat Oakes, Chris Cogan, Teri and Tracy Bellisimo, Nadine and Regina Smith, Randy and Robin Meiger, Ricky and J. C. Oakes.

Unable to attend because of illness were Lynn Brunell and Arturo and Ricky Cordova.

Following the party, Cheryl Cogan and Tommy Polcari joined the children and mothers for a swimming party in the Caley pool.

Little Miss Caley and Sharla Acosta, 4, have both learned to swim without help.

boys, will leave for home the end of this week after a week's vacation visit.

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